Douglasville, Ga.,
Sept. 10th, 1924.

Mr. Jesse C. Collier
Bamesville, Ga.

My dear Cousin:

Many, many thanks for pictures of yourself and Dorward, received yesterday, on my return from Mt. Pleasant. I appreciate them more than I can express in writing. After studying these several minutes, I was reminded of what Uncle Charlie once said, and which remark was a standing joke on what he thought of his family's appearance. His remark was, "I never saw a Green or any of their kinfolks, that was n't good looking

and smart" And from these pictures, I sincerely say, you and Durward are keeping up the record of the family - well.

I am glad Jessie enjoys studying music - This winter in Chicago - On Mr. Wilde's side we have a niece who studied there last year, in the Grand school, I think - There are so many Conservatories in Chicago. May 19th she was married to a Mr. Gould and will reside in Chicago. This niece had taught 8 yrs. in Woman's College in Chickasha O.T. Her mother had studied with me - I have so many beautiful echoes from the Past in my music-world -

I will be glad to hear from Jessie - I love music so much, that I am ready to excuse any weakness in a musician - or almost. I must not get strung in a long wordy letter - other duties are calling me - but so many beautiful memories come to me when I mention - or think music.

Our correspondence has been so pleasant and now I can print with pride to these pictures - for all my friends know of our discovery of each other from the letter I enquiry you sent to D - last Nov.

With love to all

Sincerely Your Cousin Mary -